# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

## **FISCAL NOTE**



### **SB 4**

January 13, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Bases the senior citizen income limit for counties' property tax freeze programs on the greater of weighted average income based on U.S. Census Bureau residency estimates in the year following the most recent federal census, or the applicable statutory state tax relief income limit.

#### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **Local Expenditures – Not Significant**

Assumptions:

- According to the Fiscal Review Committee 2010 survey of local governments, 35 percent of counties have a tax freeze program.
- Considering residency estimates for the year following the most recent federal census, when determining the senior citizen income limit, will not result in a change to current practices.

#### **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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